THE PROFESSOR ON PARTIES. In the April number of the Atlantic, Monthly, Dr. Holmes, in his "Professor's Story," gives a charming and claborate account of a "party" given by one of the rich citizens of Rockland—the type of the modern New England village. The Professor's descriptions and observations are too good for us to pass by without extracting. Hezekiel Sprowle, the host, it should be known, is a retired country merchant, who is dignified with the title of the Colonel, and the party is given on the occasion of Miss Matilda Sprowle "coming out."

WAITING FOR COMPANY. At half-past seven o'clock, the Colonel, in costume, came into the front parlor, and proceeded to light the lamps. Some were good-humored enough and took the hint of a lighted match at once. Others were as vicious as any more than if they were filled with water. or lighted and smoked on one side of the chimney, or sputtered a few sparks and sulked themselves out, or kept up a faint show of burning, so that their ground glasses lookas feebly phosphorescent as so many invalid fire-flies. With much coaxing and screwing and pricking, a tolerable illumination was at last achieved. At eight there was a grand rustling of silks, and Mrs. and Miss Sprowle descended from their respective bowers or boudoirs. Of course they were pretty well tired by this time, and were glad to sit down -having the prospect before them of being obliged to stand for hours. The Colonel walked about the parlor, inspecting his regiment of lamps: "Hush?" said Mrs. Sprowle, "there's the

Everybody took position at once, and began to look very smiling and altogether at ease. False alarm. Only a parcel of spoons "loaned," as the inland folks says when they mean lent, by a neighbor.
"Better late than never!" said the Colonel,

"let me heft them spoons." Mrs. Sprowle came down into her chair again as if all her bones had been bewitched out of her.

"I'm pretty nigh beat out a'ready," said she, "before any of the folks has come." arrival. How nervous they got! and how to its absolute purity. their senses were sharpened. "Hark!" said Miss Matilda-"what's that

rumblin." It was a cart going over a bridge more would not have heard. After this there was of the whiskeys in general use.

a bill, and noor Mrs. Sprowle's head nodded BOOTH, GARRET & CAMAC. a lull, and poor Mrs. Sprowle's head nodded once or twice. Presently a crackling and grinding of gravel. How much that means when we are waiting for those whom we long or dread to see! Then a change in the tone

of the gravel-cracking. "Yes, they have turned in at our gate they 're comin'. Mother! mother?" Everybody in position, smiling and at ease.

Bell rings. Enter the first set of visitors .-The Event of the Season has begun.

you may remember, called the Chambre Ar- from the Grain used in manufacturing it. Resdente, the Burning Chamber. It was hung peetfully,

A. A. HAYES, M. D., State Assayer, all around with lamps, and hence its name. The burning chamber for the trial of young maidens, is the blazing ball room. What have they full dressed you, or rather half dressed you for, do you think? To make you look pretty of course. Why have they hung a chandellier above you flickering all over with flames, so that it scorches you like the noon-day sun, and your deepest dimples cannot hold a shadow? To give brillancy to the gay scene no doubt! No, my dear! Society is inspecting you, and it finds undisguised surfaces and strong lights a convenience in the process. The dance answers the purpose of the revolving pedestal upon which the nish on the most accommodating terms. "White Captive" turns, to show us the soft, kneaded marble, which looks as if it had never been hard, in all its manifold aspects of living loveliness. No mercy for you, my love! Justice, strict justice, you shall certainly have-neither more nor less. For, Horse Powers and Threshing Machines. look you, there are dozens, scores, hundreds, with whom you must be weighed in the balance; and you have got to learn that the "struggle for life," Mr. Charles Darwin talks about, reaches to vertebraes clad in crinoline, as well as to mollusks in shells, or articulates in jointed scales, or anything that fights for breathing room and food and love in any coat of fur or feather! Happy they who can flash defiance from bright eyes and snowy shoulders back into the pendants of the insolent lustres!

HOW GENTEEL FOLKS EAT CAKE. The elder Miss Spinney, to whom Widow Leech made a remark, assented to it, at the same time ogling a piece of frosted cake, which she presently appropriated with great refinement of manner, taking it between her thumb and forefinger, keeping the others well spread and the little finger in extreme divergence, with a graceful undulation of the neck, and a queer little sound in her throat, as of an m that wanted to get out and perish in the attempt. ICE CREAM IN THE COUNTRY.

There is something so audacious in the conception of ice-cream, that it is not strange that a population undebauched by the luxury of great cities, looks upon it with a kind of awe, and speaks of it with a certain emotion. This defiance of the seasons forcing Nature to do her work of congelation, in the face of her sulfriest noon, might well inspire a timid mind with tear, lest human art were revolting against the High Powers, and raise the same scraples which resisted the use of ether and chloroform in certain contingencies. Whatever may be the cause, it is well known that the announcement at any private rural entertainment that there is to be ice-cream, produces an immediate and profound impression. It may be remarked, as aiding this impression, that exaggerated ideas are entertained as to the dangerous effects this congealed food may produce on persons not in the most robust

There was silence as the pyramids of ice were placed on the table, everybody looking on in admiration. The Colonel took a knife and assailed the one at the head of the table. When he tried to cut off a slice, it didn't seem to understand it, however, and only tipped, as if it wanted to upset. The Colonel attacked it on the other side, and it tipped just as badly the other way. It was awkward for the Colonel. "Permit me," said the Judge-and he took the knife and struck a sharp slanting stroke which sliced and all kinds of FANCY WORKING MATEoff a piece just of the right size, and offered RIALS; Coats', Brooks', and Sewing Machine no manner interferes with his regular Hardware A desirable all Wool DeLanes, and Shallies, it to Mrs. Sprowle. This act of dexterity

was much admired by the company. The tables were all alive again.

A PORTRAIT OF ELSIE VENNER. She was, indeed, an apparition of wild beauty, so unlike the girls about her that it seemed nothing more than natural, that, when she moved, the groups should part to let her pass through them, and that she should carry the centre of all looks and feb 3 thoughts with her. She was dressed to please her own fancy, evidently, with small regard to the modes declared correct by the Rockland milliners and mantua-makers .--Her heavy black hair lay in a braided coil, with a long gold pin shot through it like a javelia. Round her neck was a golden torque, used to wear: the "Dying Gladiator" has it. | Call at Her dress was a grayish watered silk; her collar was pinned with a flashing diamond broach, the stones looking as fresh as morning dew-drops, but the silver setting of the past generation; her arms were bare, round,

but slender rather than large, in keeping with her little round figure. On her wrists she wore bracelets; one was a circlet of enamelled scales; the other looked as if it might have been Cleopatra's asp, with its body turned to gold and its eyes to emeralds.

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> JAS. R. CHILTON, Analytical Chemist.

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OATS AND POTATOES.—

Sule by [mh 8] KNOX & BRO.

WALLACE & CO. HOMEMADE FLANNELS.—Just received a very superior article of Loudoun white Flannels, for Skirts. fnov 29] BRYAN & ADAMS.

Sale by [mh 8] KNOX & BRO.

CANDLES.—50 half boxes A. Candles, for sale by [mh 13] WHEAT & BRO. nels, for Skirts. [nov 29] BRYAN & ADAMS. HERRING'S FIRE AND BURGLAR PROOF COLLARS! GREAT BARGAINS at SAFES, for sale at Factory prices, by JOLES. -300 Bacon Joles, for sale by mh 13 WHEAT & HHDS, new crop N. O. Sugar, received and NIET HAIR DRESSES, at

GROCERIES, &c.

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J. H. McVEIGH & SON,

WHOLESALE GROCERS,

PRINCE STREET WHARF, ALEXANDRIA,

ed by weekly arrivals during the Spring trade,

SALT! SALT!!

ily use, just received, and for sale.

200 do. Marshall's do.

Windsor Plaster, best 100 sacks G. A. & Marshall's Salt

TO LACKBERRY BRANDY, &c .-

" Holland Gin-in store and for sale by

50 " Reese's Manipulated Guano, Or-

J. N. HARPER & CO.

CHARLES J. WISE,

3 casks Blackberry Brandy

3 " Ginger do, 3 " Cherry do.

150 BBLS. FAMILY FLOUR

GUANO.-

500 " Ground Alum, for sale by

I am now receiving, direct from the west,

3 " Cherry

SALT.— 100 sacks Ashton's

100 " Marshall's

Sauce, assorted Pickles, for sale by

Bacon.—
10,000 pounds Middlings

Vernon, and for sale by

10,000

just received and for sale by CHAS, J. WISE, mh 12 corner of Prince and Pitt streets.

and for sale by [mh 15] J. E. DOUGLAS.

CRANBERRIES.—Prime Cape Cod Cranberries, received this day per steamer Mount

20 BBLS. B. and C. COFFEE SUGARS-

mb 2 GARRET HULST, 147 King-street.

DEACH BLOOM AND WHITE MERCER

ETHERRAL AND WHALE OIL, fresh and pure, always on hand and for sale by

PEATHERS.—
500 fbs. prime Live Geese, for sale by
WHEAT & U

D genuine article, for sale by

CIEED POTATOES .- Jersey white Mercer,

A PPLES,-100 bbls, New York Apples, for

A sale by J. N. HARPER & CO.

OF BOXES OSWEGO SILVER GLOSS, and

BUTTER, -20 packages prime Goshen Glades' BUTTER, received, and for sale by

mh I GARRET HULST, 147 King st.

BUTTER.-15 packages Glades Butter, received and for sale by GARRET HULST.

flack .- 150 bbls. TAR, in prime order, landing

COTTON YARN. - 10,000 lbs. Superior South

TEED OATS, -200 bush, Superior White Seed

I Twine and Cotton Cordage, for sale by

MEYENBERG'S. | O for sale by [mh S] DAVY & HARMON. |

I from Schr. Diamond, for sale by

POTATOES-A further supply, received by

WM. H. FOWLE & SON.

No. 4, South Wharves.

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corner Prince and Pitt street.

147. King-street.

day per steamer Columbia, and for sale by

SEED POTATOES,— 200 bushels prime Nova Scotia Potatoes

100 do. Jeffrey & Dorsey's do.

2000 POUNDS very superior, cared for fam-

IQUORS .-1 200 bbls. Rectified Whiskey 150 " Old Rye Whiskey 50 " Gin and Domestie Brandy 20 " N. E. Rum 10 " Apple and Peach Brandy 20 Casks Malaga Wine 15 ‡ Casks French Brandy

Vintage of 1851, 1855 and 1858 10 Casks Port, Sherry and Madeira Wine 75 baskets Champagne, "Prince Imperial" "Bouzy" and "Heidsick," Holland Gin, Jamaica

Santos and Rio Coffee 5 cases Italian Maccaroni

vey Sauce, Walnut, Mushroom, and Tomato Cat-sup, French and English Mustard, Capers and self at the old place, at Olives, just received, and for sale by
mh 10 J. E. DOUGLASS. mh 10

DACON, LARD, &c .-D 10 hhds, new Sides and Shoulders Also, 250 bushels prime MILLPKED, weighing 1000 lbs, new Breasts

30 lbs, to the bushel, by ISAAC PAUL, feb 8 corner of Union and Queen streets. 1000 " " Joles 15 bbls. No. 1 Lard, prime. For sale by DLASTER, SALT, &c .- 100 tons Soft Blue WHEAT & BRO. feb 14 LIAMILY FLOUR .- A large supply of the fol-200 bushels prime White Beans, part Navy Beans, on hand, and for sale at market rates, by feb 28 ISAAC PAUL, Queen street Wharf.

James S, Welch's premium; Ross, Ray & Bros's.; Reservoir; Read & Silcott's, and Washington Mills, by [mh 21] J. E. DOUGLASS.

WHISKEY, &c.-

5 " Double Rectified do. 7 " Gin and Rum 300 bbls, Superfine Flour, different brands, in store and for sale by MARSHALL & CO.

ALMONDS, and PECAN NUTS 10 boxes Layer Raisins 15 kegs Newcastle Soda, just received by Schr. Yorktown from New York, and for sale by J. E. DOUGLASS.

ders for any other Guano filled, at lowest market LIVERPOOL SALT AFLOAT. 1500 SACKS, cargo Schooner H. Price, daily expected, for sale by WM. H. FOWLE & SON,

No. 4, South Wharves. TIME CHINAMAN has arrived, and with him money. a choice selection of GREEN and BLACK CLOVERSEED! CLOVERSEED! CLOVERSEED! TEAS; which are for sale by CHARLES J. WISE, corner of Prince and Pitt sts.

350 BUSHELS CHOICE OHIO CLOVER-SEED, which will be sold at lowest mar-ket rates. JAMES C. NEVETT, MES C. NEVETT, Duke street wharf. 100 BBLS, TAR 50 bbls, Pitch 50 coils Fishing Rope TURKS ISLAND SALT. 1000 feet of Oars, for sale by 5000 BUSHELS TURKS ISLAND SALT. cargo of Brig Leni, direct importation, 25 BAGS OLD GOVERNMENT JAVA COFfor sale by JAS, C. NEVETT, Duke st. Wharf.

50 bags Rio and Santos, for sule by mh 22 MARSHALL & CO. RUSH! FISH!!- Smoked Halibut, Mackerel, Cod Fish, Salmon, Alewives, Smoked Herring and Sardines, just opened and for sale by CHAS, J. WISE, Successor to J. A. Dixon.

WM. H. FOWLE & SON. WM. H. FOWLE & SON.

Sauce, John Bull Sauce, Sir Robert Peel | IVERPOOL COARSE SALT.—1500 sacks, | measures, together with their height, by mail, van be furnished with CLOTHES, quarity considered, as cheap as they can be bought of any house in 1 in store, and for sale by WM, H. FOWLE & SON, corner of Prince and Pitt sts.

WEST INDIA PRESERVED GINGER:
Lemons, Raisins, and Prunes, just received and for sale by CHAS. J. WISE,
Successor to J. A. Dixon, corner of mh 2

Corner of Prince and Pitt states and Poly states and New Orleans Sugar 10 bbls, New Orleans Molasses, for sale by inh 24

WHEAT & BRO. corner of Prince and Pitt-sts. CHEESE, received and for sale by mh 23 WEET SICILY ORANGES, just received, other market, I hope by strict attention to merit a and for sale by CHARLES J. WISE, corner of Prince and Pitt-sts. BUCKWHEAT.—A fresh supply received this day per steamer Monticello, and for sale by O 4 BOXES English Dairy Cheese, received

25 HALF CHESTS very superior Gunpowder, Young Hyson and Black TEAS, received mh 22 this day by schooner Yorktown, from New York. - HHDS. New Orleans Sugar, for sale by

NATH'L, BOUSH.

FOR RENT-The large and well arranged BOARDING HOUSE, at the intersection of king and Columbus streets, now occupied by the North Union street, adjoining the Warehouse of

M OLASSES.—20 bbls, landing to-day, for sale WM, H. FOWLE & SON, No. 411, King street, with the three story sizes, WAREHOUSE in the rear. Apply to A PPLES.—40 bbls, choice selected red FRUIT, received this day per Steamer Mount Ver-

I ILLIE'S CHILLED AND WROUGHT I IRON BURGLAR AND FIRE-PROOF SAFES, with his improved combined Permutation and Combination Locks, have merits that deserve NoTICE,—It you want good, cheap, and fash-ionable CLOTHING, go to LATOUTHE. the attention of every business man. It is confidently believed that the decided triumphs of this ceiving the latest styles of FURNISHING GOODS SAFE in all places where fully tested, as at Iowa City by would be competitors, and at Oshkosh, Wisconsin, by fire, must convince a discriminating Louisiana Avenue, Washington city, the most satisfactory certificates can be seen of the FIRE | Moulds, with a large stock of English refined Bar,

A LEXANDRIA LIBRARY COMPANY .-20 PURE STARCH, just received and for sale | Washington streets. Open every day from 4 to 5, tions, \$3; six months, \$1.50; three months, \$1. Volumes in Library, about 4,800. President-R. L. CARNE, JR.

-DIRECTORS:-Sylvester Scott. | Andrew Jamieson, James S. Hallowell. Edgar Snowden, ir. Elisha J. Miller, Sylvanus Miller, jr., 10 BBLS. PATENT CUT LOAF SUGAR, Benjamin Barton, just received and for sale by George D. Fowle, Stephen Swain, John West. John A. Milburn, Treasurer-Andrew Jamieson.

50 BUSH, prime White Mercer Scotl Potatoes 25 do, prime Peach Bloom do., for sale by my 5-1y CHAS, R. BURGESS, Librarian, WHO WANTS A PIANO OR MELODEON? -1 am prepared to furnish, at short notice, ity, easy touch, and sweetness of tone and power, cannot and never have been excelled on the conti-nent of America. Mr. Worcester has been engaged in the bosiness a quarter of a century or more, not as a capitalist merely, having work put up for ale, but as a practical mechanic. It is his trade. style, and every instrument warranted. Also Carbart's patent Melodeous, at factory pri ces which vary from \$45 to \$250. They are suitable for Parlors or Churches, being more particularly adapted to sacred music.

beived already the present season, a variety of goods. in the above line, purchased upon favorable terms, which enables him to offer goods at low prices .-- HATS, gotten up with a strict observance to lash INO FISHERMEN. A large supply of Seine Having had a long and large experience in buying ion and good taste. Also, Childrens FANCY buy to the best advantage. He offers inducements for each. Extensive stock-best terms-lowers 500 LES. ROPE, suitable for baling Hay, re-ceived and for sale by to Builders, Mechanics, Farmers, House-keepers, and all others to give him a call. It will cost see 22 nothing to look in and examine goods, and you S. 4 W. MEYENBERG, corner King and Pitt sts.

SEINE TWINE, GILL TWINE and SEINE may save by the operation, as has been done in many cases. All business transactions warranted to give satisfaction

For sale by ADDISON, WALLACE & CO.,

CLOTHING.

DID YOU EVER SEE THE LIKE.

SCHOOLHERR & BRO., A RE selling whole suits of CLOTHING at \$1.75; COAT 75, PANTS 50 cents, VESTS 50 cents, and from that price up to the finest imported to this country. They are determined to sell, and undersell, no matter how, whe, or what, The fact of it is, they are always through the Northern markets, and by being always in the market, have the best opportunity to pick up the best of bargains, to suit the Southern market, Recollect at the same time that their styles of getting up their CLOTHING are always superior to any others, by being personally attended in mh I T. A. BREWIS.

COFFEE.—50 bags prime Old Government firm long experienced in that business—and no pains or time spared to please the generous cus. tom heretofore bestowed upon them. Those who have not patronized this old established from 5 " Canton Preserved Ginger, very choice will certainly find it to their interest to give then 200 do. Ground Alum do. In store and quality; also, Worcestershire, John Bull, and Har- a call, as no more satisfactory dealing can be

SCHOOLHERR & BRO'S, 108 King street, 3 doors below the Marshall House, Alexandria, Va. JOHN LATOUCHE.

MERCHANT TAILOR, 82 KING-STREET, S NOW receiving a choice assortment of SPRING GOODS, and respectfully solicits a share of public patconage. mh 13

W. & A. MURRAY, Merchant Tailors, AMILY FLOUR.—A large supply of the following well known brands on hand, and for A SUMMER GOODS, and would invite all in sale, at lowest market rates, by the barrel or bag: | want of any thing in their line to give them a sall

> WILLIAM D. MASSEY, MERCHANT TAILOR AND CLOTHIER.

ALEXANDRIA, VA., K EEPS constantly on hand a full and complete stock of black, blue, clive, brown, claret and other shades of French and English CLOTHS. 5 " Domestic Brandy -- in store and for | CASSAMERES and VESTINGS, which will be sale low, by [feb 1] JOHN T. YOUNG. made up to order, at the shortest notice, in the less style, and at as low prices as the same kind of materials can be furnished by any one in the

> hand a large stock of READY MADE CLOTH-ING, embracing all the styles suitable for the season, made up of new and sound materials, and the work done in a proper wanner.

Having had many years experience in the business, I feel confident of rendering satisfaction is those who may give me their custom, being deter mined to render to every man an equivalent for big

25 South side of King street, one door west of Royal.

THE MEMBERS OF THE "FOTOMAC, PIEDMONT AND VALLEY AGRICUL: TURAL SOCIETY," and others, will please take notice that the subscriber has just received from
New York, and has now opened at his establishment, on Fairfax street, one door South of Eing,
a solect assortment of FALL and WINTER GOODS, consisting of CLOTHS, CASSIMERES. VESTINGS, &c., and a finer or more elegant supbags Rio and Santos, for sale by ment in this city. Call and examine for yourselves. He has GOODS to suit the most furtheosable and please the plainest, all of which will be made up to order, with nestness and dispatch. Gentleman at a distance, by transmitting their measures, together with their height, by mail, van

All persons wishing to furnish their own goods No. 4, South Wharves, will have particular attention poid to them. Al-COUNTRY CURED HAMS.—Also, another lot of Thomas's SUGAR CURED HAMS.

FRESH GLADES BUTTER, very superior, ways thankful for favors, past, present, and to come, he shall with the aid of a generous and come, and the shall with the aid of a generous and come, and the shall with the aid of a generous and come, and the shall with the aid of a generous and come, and the shall with the aid of a generous and come, and the shall with the aid of a generous and come, and the shall with the aid of a generous and come, and the shall with the aid of a generous and come, and the shall with the aid of a generous and come, and the shall with the aid of a generous and come, and the shall with the aid of a generous and come, and the shall with the aid of a generous and come, and the shall with the aid of a generous and come, and the shall with the aid of a generous and come, and the shall with the aid of a generous and come, and the shall with the aid of a generous and come, and the shall with

fiding public, continue to FLAP HIS WING-.
WILLIAM E. ATWELL,
oct 27 No. 4, Fairfax street No. 4, Fairfax street. A LARGE AND FINE ASSORTMENT OF GOODS AT THE NEW STORE - Having removed to my new store, I would take this opportunity of returning my thanks to numerous friends fore extended, and with a determination to keep a stock of fine goods, inferior to none in this or any

CLOTHS, CASSIMERES and VESTINGS, which I have selected with great care to suit the taste and mh 22 GARRET HULST. fancy of any who may want a number one article. In addition to my fine stock of Cloths, Cassimer HUDS. N. O. and P. R. Sugar, prime, new meres and Vestings, of every shade, I would call TIES, HANDKERCHIEFS, GLOVES, SOCKS, &c., in fact, I am prepared to fit out a Gentleman's 73 All work warranted to fit and made in the

best manner. [oct 27] W.M. ARNOLD. 100, 100, 100, 100, 100. SIMON WATERMAN, No. 100, King street

ALEXANDRIA, VA., BEGS leave to announce to his numerous friends and customers, that he is now prepared to exhibit a stock of READY-MADE CLUTHING, Res If not rented as a Boarding-House, the and Gentlemen's Furnishing GOODS, which in property, consisting of two large three-story BRICK DWELLINGS, will be for rent as pri-

street, Philadelphia.

Although the present stock is a very extens S. Hartley & Son and Z. English & Bro. Apply to mh 1—tf D. B. SMITH. P. S .- Mr. WATERMAN will endeave

vince any one favoring him with a rall, that his reputation for selling at the most moderate proces is grounded on facts. N. B. A choice article of SILK SHARFR and CANTON UNDERSHIRTS and DRAWERS

22 SHIRTS made to order. sep 7-1y HARDWARE, CUTLERY, &c.

and BURGLAR PROOF MERITS of this SAPE, Band, Hoop, Seroll, Oral, and Bolt Iron. He E. C. PATTERSON, General Agent. Offers also, Virginia mode Oak and Ha kery Speker barrows, with new description of Wheels, a very desirable article. Those wanting the above articles, will encourage home manufacture by par chasing from GEORGE T. BALDWIN. NOTICE.—I would respectfully call the attention of those in want of GOODS in my line,

> complete, having just received large additions diruet from the manufacturers and importers. name in part the following articles Blacksmith's Bellows, running from 32 to 34 inch. 600 yds, Plain and Twilled Canvass, of various widths, for covering carriages and wagons

100 sets Stocks and Dies 75 " Long and Short Red Axles 50 " Thimble Skeins and Pipe Boxes Best Bright Springs; Hubs and Felloes. Also, a full assertment of English Renned. American Hammered, and Swede, Bar Iron, &c

HATS, CAPS, BONNETS, &c. PALL STOCK OF HATS AND CAPS - JOHN ARNOLD has just received a large ussure

ment of HATS and CAPS adapted to meet the HARDWARE, CUTLERY, HOUSE KEEP- Gentlemen are solicited to examine a recent importation of FRENCH FELT HATS, selected by special order—together with which may be found a No. 1 article of SILK AND CASSIMERE

> LUMBER, LATHS, LIME, &c. I UMBER, COAL, AND WOOD YARD. A ser of Union and Queen Streets, North, Where I am prepared to furnish every description of

No. 88 King street. LUMBER, SHINGLES, LATHS, LIME, Art. Also, Oak and Pine WOOD, Red and White Ash, and Cumberland COAL, which I am selling low for rash, or on reasonable terms to good customers, aug 3—tf U. W. BARKER. aug 3-tf

RECEIVED THIS DAY, a large lot of White-wash, Shoe, and Scrubbing Brushes, for sale Royal street, where I will be pleased to see all in Royal street, where I will be pleased to see all in mb 14 L. HERRING'S, want of BROOMS and WOODEN-WARE, of eve-